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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto please find a copy of Fig. 1 of the original drawings with red ink markings showing proposed changes to the drawing(s) of this application for which the approval of the Examiner is requested.

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